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**TO:** NATIONAL APPRENTICESHIP SYSTEM STAKEHOLDERS

 OFFICE OF APPRENTICESHIP STAFF

 STATE APPRENTICESHIP AGENCIES

**FROM:** JOHN V. LADD /s/

 Administrator, Office of Apprenticeship

**SUBJECT:** New National Program Standards of Apprenticeship for AstraZeneca

1. **Purpose.** To inform the staff of OA, State Apprenticeship Agencies (SAA), Registered Apprenticeship program sponsors and other Registered Apprenticeship partners of the New National Standards of Apprenticeship for the AstraZeneca.
2. **Action Requested.** This bulletin is being provided to OA staff for informational purposes only. The OA National Office will be responsible for maintenance and technical assistance regarding this program.
3. **Summary and Background.**
	1. Summary – These new National Program Standards of Apprenticeship, submitted by Ms. Ellen McMahon, Operations and IT Human Resource Lead, on behalf of AstraZeneca, were processed by Kirk Jefferson and approved by the OA Administrator on July 19, 2024.
	2. Background –

***NPS Background -*** National Program Standards of Apprenticeship are programs that are registered by OA on a national basis and that consist of occupational standards which: (1) are developed and sponsored by an employer, national trade or industry organization, labor organization, educational institution, or consortium; (2) are demonstrably national or multi-State in their design, suitability, and scope based on consideration of the National Program Standards criteria (detailed below); and (3) comply with the regulatory requirements contained in 29 CFR Part 29 and 29 CFR Part 30.

1. **New Program Standards.** These new National Program Standards of Apprenticeship for AstraZeneca for the following occupations will be serviced by OA National Office:

Quality Control Technician

(Existing Occupation Title: Quality Control Technician)

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 17-3026.00

RAPIDS CODE: 0462CB

Training type: Competency-based

Manufacturing Operator

(Existing Title: Industrial Manufacturing Technician)

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 17-3026.00

RAPIDS CODE: 2031CB

Training type: Competency-based

Maintenance Technician

(Existing Title: Maintenance Repairer)

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 49-9071.00

RAPIDS CODE: 3010CB

Training type: Competency-based

1. **Inquiries.** If you have any questions, please contact Kirk A. Jefferson, Apprenticeship & Training Representative, at 202-693-3399.
2. **Attachments.** None.